



ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 14162.0001U1  
EXPRESS MAIL NO. EV 915328843 US  
PATENT

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| In re Application of:       | ) |                                    |
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| ZANETTI, Maurizio           | ) | Art Unit: 1633                     |
|                             | ) |                                    |
| Application No.: 09/300,959 | ) | Examiner: Anne Marie Sabrina Wehbe |
|                             | ) |                                    |
| Filing Date: April 27, 1999 | ) | Confirmation No.: 5037             |
|                             | ) |                                    |
| For: SOMATIC TRANSGENE      | ) |                                    |
| IMMUNIZATION AND            | ) |                                    |
| RELATED METHODS             | ) |                                    |

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 to take action required in the application identified in the caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith:

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| <input type="checkbox"/>            | One Month    | \$120.00   | (\$ 60.00)*   |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Two Months   | \$450.00   | (\$225.00)*   |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Three Months | \$1,020.00 | (\$510.00)*   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Four Months  | \$1,590.00 | (\$795.00)*   |
| <input type="checkbox"/>            | Five Months  | \$2,160.00 | (\$1,080.00)* |

\* Small Entity

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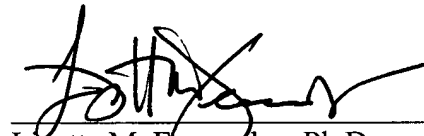
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A Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 authorizing payment in the amount of \$1,190.00, representing \$795.00 for the Four Month Request for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(4) for a small entity, \$395.00 representing the Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) for a small entity and an Amendment are enclosed. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,

NEEDLE & ROSENBERG, P.C.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Lizette M. Fernandez', is written over a horizontal line.

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